

IN THE SENATE

SENATE BILL NO. 1064

BY COMMERCE AND HUMAN RESOURCES COMMITTEE

AN ACT

RELATING TO COSMETICIANS; AMENDING SECTION 54-805, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE REQUIREMENTS FOR LICENSURE AS A REGISTERED COSMETOLOGIST.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

SECTION 1. That Section 54-805, Idaho Code, be, and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

54-805. REQUIREMENTS FOR LICENSE. Except as herein otherwise provided, the following shall be considered minimum requirements for license in the respective categories, and all applicants shall be of good moral character and temperate habits:

(1) As a registered cosmetologist:

(a) Be sixteen and one-half (16 1/2) years of age.

(b) Completion of two (2) years' high school education or its equivalent.

(c) Graduation from and completion of a ~~two one~~ one thousand six hundred (2,01,600) hour course of instruction in a school of cosmetology, or a four thousand (4,000) hour course of instruction as an apprentice covering all phases of the practice of cosmetology. Nothing contained in this paragraph shall prevent a cosmetology school from providing additional hours of training.

(d) Successful passage of an examination for cosmetologist conducted by or acceptable to the board.

(2) As an instructor of cosmetology, nail technology, esthetics or electrology: twelve (12) semester college credit hours or equivalent as approved by the board or successful completion of the examination required by board rules, and

(a) Hold a current license as a cosmetologist, nail technologist, esthetician or electrologist and satisfactory completion of a six (6) month teacher's course of instruction in a school of cosmetology, or

(b) Two (2) years' experience as a licensed cosmetologist, nail technologist, esthetician or electrologist in a registered cosmetological establishment and a three (3) month teacher's course of instruction in a school of cosmetology, or

(c) Five (5) years' experience as a licensed cosmetologist, nail technologist, esthetician or electrologist immediately preceding the application for license.

(3) As an apprentice:

(a) Be sixteen and one-half (16 1/2) years of age.

(b) Have completed at least two (2) years of high school education or its equivalent.

(4) As a nail technician:

(a) Be sixteen and one-half (16 1/2) years of age.

1 (b) Have completed at least two (2) years of high school education or  
2 its equivalent.

3 (c) Have completed and graduated from at least a four hundred (400)  
4 hour course of instruction and graduated from such training in a board  
5 approved school, or an eight hundred (800) hour course of instruction  
6 as an apprentice in a specified cosmetological establishment under the  
7 direct personal supervision of a licensed cosmetology instructor, who  
8 shall have at least one (1) licensed nail technician on-site in the  
9 specified cosmetological establishment for each student being trained.

10 (d) Successful passage of an examination for nail technician conducted  
11 by or acceptable to the board.

12 (5) As an electrologist:

13 (a) Be sixteen and one-half (16 1/2) years of age.

14 (b) Have completed at least two (2) years of high school education or  
15 its equivalent.

16 (c) Have completed and graduated from at least an eight hundred (800)  
17 hour course of instruction and graduated from such training in a school  
18 approved by the board to teach electrolysis, or a one thousand six hun-  
19 dred (1,600) hour course of instruction as an apprentice in a specified  
20 cosmetological establishment under the direct personal supervision of  
21 a licensed electrologist instructor, who shall have at least one (1)  
22 licensed electrologist on-site in the specified cosmetological estab-  
23 lishment as established by board rules.

24 (d) Successfully passed an examination for electrologist conducted by  
25 or acceptable to the board.

26 (6) As an esthetician:

27 (a) Be sixteen and one-half (16 1/2) years of age.

28 (b) Have completed at least two (2) years of high school education or  
29 its equivalent.

30 (c) Have completed and graduated from at least a six hundred (600) hour  
31 course of instruction for such in a school approved by the board to teach  
32 esthetics or a one thousand two hundred (1,200) hour course of instruc-  
33 tion as an apprentice in a specified cosmetological establishment un-  
34 der the direct personal supervision of a licensed cosmetology instruc-  
35 tor, who shall have at least one (1) licensed esthetician on-site in the  
36 specified cosmetological establishment for each student being trained.

37 (d) Successfully passed an examination for esthetician conducted by or  
38 acceptable to the board.

39 (7) As a haircutter:

40 (a) Be sixteen and one-half (16 1/2) years of age.

41 (b) Have completed at least two (2) years of high school education or  
42 its equivalent.

43 (c) Have completed and graduated from at least a nine hundred (900) hour  
44 course of instruction for such in a school approved by the board to teach  
45 haircutting.

46 (d) Successfully passed an examination for haircutter conducted by or  
47 acceptable to the board.